

REMARKS

This is supplemental to Applicants' amendment and response filed on March 12, 2008.

By the present amendment, claim 12 has been further amended to correct an obvious error in the recital of amended claim 12 filed with Applicants' response on March 12, 2008. More particularly, claim 12 has now been amended to recite that the indicators (and not the fasteners) are captively and rotatably mounted in the apertures of the holder.

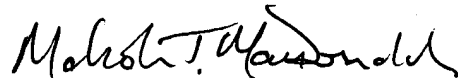
With regard to the rejection of claims 12-14, 16-17, and 20-21 under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Marczynski et al., and the rejection of claims 15 and 18-19 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Marczynski et al., clearly, Marczynski et al. does teach or suggest position indicators for indicating rotational position of the respective fasteners, wherein the indicators are captively and rotatably mounted in the apertures of the holder, as required by claim 12 and claims dependent thereon.

In the light of the above remarks, it is Applicants' position that the Marczynski et al. reference does not teach or suggest each and every limitation of claim 12 and claims dependent thereon.

Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejections under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) and 35 U.S.C. 103(a) is respectfully requested.

It is believed that the present application is now in condition for allowance, and an early allowance to this effect is respectfully urged. If any final points remain that can be clarified by telephone, Examiner Noori is encouraged to contact Applicants' attorney at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted



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